

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Replace Paragraph 025 with the following paragraph:

[025] Figure 3 is a perspective view of a coffee machine according to the invention in a second state; ~~and~~

Replace Paragraph 026 with the following paragraph:

[026] Figure 4 shows a sectional view of the coffee machine according Figure 3 in the second state[.] ;

After Paragraph 026, insert the following two new paragraphs 026.1 and 026.2:

[026.1] Figure 5 is a perspective view of a coffee machine according to an alternate embodiment of the invention; and

[026.2] Figure 6 is a perspective view of a coffee machine according to an alternate embodiment of the invention.

Replace Paragraph 029 with the following paragraph:

[0029] In the embodiment shown the slider 24 is provided at the end on the inflow side between the two spout supports 18, 20. It is likewise possible to arrange the slider at the end of the spout supports 18, 20 on the discharge side, as shown as 24' in Figure 5.

After Paragraph 030, insert the following new paragraph [030.1]:

[030.1] It can be useful if the spout supports arranged in the guide can be displaced vertically independently of one another as shown in Figure 6. Two slides 24'' can be provided (each in its own slot 22) to allow the spout supports to be displaced vertically independently of one another. This provides the possibility of filling one small cup and one large cup with coffee at the same time, for example, if an espresso and a cappuccino are to be prepared simultaneously.